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FM AMEMBASSY DAKAR

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PARIS FOR HELMAN ROME FOR FODAG

SUBJ: US AIRLIFT MAURITANIA

REF: A) STATE 194157 B) ROME 10436 C) DAKAR-NOUAKCHOTT

TELEX 10/1/73

1. MOBIL/DAKAR ADVISES THAT RECENT JET FUEL SHIPMENT TO MAURITANIA HAS BEEN CLEARED FOR USE. HOWEVER, MOBIL REP CAGNAUD ADVISES WOULD BE EXTREMELY DIFFICULT SUPPLY SUFFICIENT PROP JET FUEL FOR AIRLIFT IN NOUAKCHOTT IN VIEW REGULAR REQUIREMENTS AND LIMITED SHIPPING CAPACITY FROM DAKAR. HE INDICATED WOULD BE NO PROBLEM SUPPLYING FUEL AT DAKAR AT RATE 18,000 LITERS PER DAY FOR ONE MONTH. CAGNAUD FURTHER ADVISES THAT FUEL FOR INTERNATIONAL FLIGHTS AUTOMATICALLY DUTY FREE.

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2. ADO/DAKAR HAS ISSUED CALL FOR BIDS TO FORWARDERS WITH
BID SUBMISSION DEADLINE 10/3. EXPECT SELECT FORWARDER
BEFORE END OF WEEK.

3. PER REF B SMITH WHO EXPERIENCED AIRLIFT OPERATIONS
AND PRESUMABLY FLUENT FRENCH IS AVAILABLE ORGANIZE GROUND
OPERATIONS, PERHAPS FOR DURATION AIRLIFT.

4. ACTIONS REQUESTED: IN VIEW PARA 4 REF A AND REF C,
SUGGEST EMBASSY NOUAKCHOTT PROPOSE TO GIRM A) THAT THEY
PROCEED NEGOTIATE LANDING FEE WAIVER WITH GOS; B) VERIFY
FUEL WOULD BE DUTY FREE AND SUFFICIENT QUANTITY AVAILABLE;
C) DESIGNATE OFFICIAL TO ACCEPT DELIVERY US GRAIN AT DAKAR
AIRPORT AND SUPERVISE PLANE LOADING. PERHAPS SMITH COULD BE
GIVEN THIS AUTHORITY AT LEAST AT START.

5. BY TIME ABOVE AGREEMENTS REACHED AIRLIFT COULD BE
OPERATIONAL AND GRAIN FOR MAURITANIA MOVING FROM DAKAR
PORT.

6. DATT CONCURS.
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